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**WSDOT Construction Activity & Possible Delays/September 26-October 6, 2002**

This update is also available by calling 1-800-695-7623, extension 511.

**US 2/Deer Road to Westwood Road (MP 296.26-306.18)**- Work continues on this resurfacing project; minor items remain. Motorists should be aware of minor, periodic northbound and southbound lane and shoulder restrictions and slow traffic. At least one access to all homes and businesses in the project area will be maintained.

**US 2/Flint Road to Hayford Road Vicinity (MP 279-280.22)**- During the next 2 weeks, crews will be blasting on the north side of the roadway for sewer construction. This work requires traffic on US 2, in both directions, to be stopped for approximately 10 minutes as crews perform the controlled blasting. All private accesses and local roadways in the vicinity of the blasting will be closed during the duration of the work. Motorists can expect slow traffic, minor delays, and congestion while the work is underway.

**US 2/Hawthorne Road to Shady Slope Road (MP 293.81-295.95)** - Crews are continuing crack sealing US 2 in this location. While work is underway, motorists can expect possible congestion. Crews will be on the roadway through the weekend; this work is expected to be completed by Tuesday, October 1<sup>st</sup>. This work requires dry weather.

**SR 20/Colville High School to Narcisse Road (MP 355.94-363.61)**- Crews are seeding roadway shoulders and completing minor items; motorists can expect minor lane and shoulder restrictions.

**SR 23/Front Street in St. John (MP 14)**- Work on this improvement project on Front Street continues; crews are paving the roadway. Roadway striping will begin next week. Motorists can expect some sections of unpaved roadway within the work zone. A 24-hour detour is in place for SR 23 traffic; after paving and striping are complete, SR 23 will open to traffic later next week. This is a City of St. John project.

**SR 27/Pines Road (MP 84-86)**- Avista crews are continuing utility work on this section of roadway from 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue to Cataldo Street in the Spokane Valley. This work requires minor lane restrictions on the northbound lanes of Pines Road; southbound traffic will not be affected. Motorists should be aware of possible minor delays and congestion in the work area.

**HIGH IMPACT!! I-90/Vicinity of Downtown Spokane (MP 180-181)**- Beginning on Monday, September 30, crews will be replacing a sign bridge structure spanning I-90 in downtown Spokane as well as a sign on the eastbound I-90 Division Street off-ramp. During this work, motorists can expect intermittent lane restrictions, delays, and congestion on both eastbound and westbound I-90, as well as at on and off-ramps in the project vicinity. Work is expected to be completed by Friday evening, October 4.

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**I-90/Mission Street bridge over Evergreen Road** – Bridge deck repairs to the Mission Street bridge over Evergreen Road continues. This work requires closure of the bridge; a detour is in place. Work is expected to be complete by October 1<sup>st</sup>.

**I-90/Harvard Road Interchange (MP 296)**- Crews are completing minor items. Motorists can expect periodic lane restrictions and delays on Harvard Road and westbound I-90, and should be alert for slow traffic and congestion.

**HIGH IMPACT!! Harvard Road** – The City of Liberty Lake continues work on Harvard Road north of Mission Avenue to the Spokane River bridge; the road is now open to traffic, although major construction continues. This is a City of Liberty Lake project. For additional information, please call 755-6700.

**HIGH IMPACT!! SR 290-Trent Avenue/Spokane River Bridge (MP 0.4-0.6)**- Work continues on this bridge replacement project between downtown and Hamilton Street. Trent Ave. is closed to through traffic between Riverpoint Blvd. and Cincinnati Street. Detours are fully signed. Access to all businesses on Trent is available. This is a long-term closure.

**US 395/South of Hastings Road (MP 166.15)**- Crews are widening both northbound and southbound US 395 at this location to provide right turn lanes and other minor items. This work will involve periodic right-hand lane restrictions after 9:00 a.m., while work is underway. Motorists should be aware of possible slow traffic, congestion in the project area, and construction personnel in and adjacent to the roadway. The project is expected to be completed by November 1<sup>st</sup>.

**US 395/Arden to Colville (MP 219-229)**- Crews are continuing work on minor items. No traffic impacts are expected.

**HIGH IMPACT!! US 395/Colville Main Street (MP 228-229)**- Work continues in downtown Colville. Main Street continues to be reduced to one lane in each direction with possible slow traffic. Crews are paving side streets. Motorists should be aware of possible congestion, slow traffic, and minor delays. Motorists can expect some sections of gravel roadway within the work zone. All businesses are open. This is a City of Colville project.

**SR 904/City of Cheney (MP 9-11)**- Crews are painting crosswalks in downtown Cheney. Motorists can expect lane restrictions and should be alert for crews in and adjacent to the roadway. Work is expected to be completed by October 4<sup>th</sup>.

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